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I seem To dream Of a golden gleam That with my life is blended; My past

At last Is overcast And fears for the future ended. Yes is a little word,

When whispered smaller still,

And my foolish heart stood still , Ceased its beating until The word was fully spoken. Then fluttered away with a will,

Yet that was all that I heard,

And a faith that shall not be broken

My mind To hide behin !

The shadow of "No" an I "nover," Somehow I only know

The sunshine of "forever !"

"No" were as easily said. What if 'twee ''no" instead? And I in the shadow still! And though the sun fade from us.

Still would my universe. Be bright with the bow of promis

Shall be The cestasy Of life that love enhances.

Comprise A paradise, And only mine their glances;

And yet if I had my will, I would that I had not heard, I would be in the shadow still, If she could recall the word,

For I would have over again

The exquisite happiness That filled me an I thrilled me when I heard her whispered "yes."

-Alfred Ellison, in Chicago Record.

# THE PARSON'S QUEST.



there was only one, and she rejoiced in from the debasement of over-righteons. mistress in one of our small western the soubriquet of "Scarred Emms," and ness! It was of one precious sin-sick towns has the good-will of every citiyou only had to look at her hands to soul he was thinking, and that he zen. They can see nothing in common know why. They had been burned to hoped to reach, through this zeal for with her and the terrible woman of the bone, and although she wore dia. the brotherhood, mond rings to the first joint of every Poor scarred Emma! She had given hands from which they receive their finger, they didn't disguise the horrid her influence-and I have shown that daily mail, and they know the honor scars, scamed and livid, and of these it was great—she had given her saloon, able history of these scars, Detroit Emma was prouder than of the rings, which was also her throne, and now Free Press, Well she might be. Had she not she was shut up in a miscrable, tawdry saved the lives of men and women room, partitioned off from the rest, bearing them in her arms from a burn. dressed in her Sunday finery, waiting ing building? And these scars were until all the gang had assembled, when receive some shock, that we are not

seven-up. Some drank and loafed, woman would sit under the same roof which we have, for twenty years on loafed and drank again, and chaffed with her, and then she looked down on end, felt ourselves grow fat and childwith the landlady, who was about as her diamond-bedecked hands. "I can like and undyspeptic. But the mod-

out the miners poison in copions But soon she dashed them away and beget internal trouble. doses, and listening to such cheap dried her eyes. Another touch of Scemingly simple things like dry compliments as were not too sugges. rouge to repair the ravage, and she toast, catmeal and apples we have tive of revolvers and free fights, when was ready "to go to church," as she heard forbidden of late as hard to the door opened, and the deputy phrased it to herself. A determined, take care of, and bananas, or, for ex-

welcome greeted the new comer. "Hallo Bill olad to see yer. Brung in any new uns?"

fingers straight, seein' I jest got in. went back, and threw a lace shaw! the shrewd suspicion that mere fashion Been to Omaha for a pesky hoss thief. around her shoulders. Then she made is at the bottom of the change. Tried to get away, out here, and we her way to the front room, just as the One interested in the subject, havwas agoin' to let him have it, but there noise of clattering boots and grating ing an ax to grind, could without much wuz a leetle weazened parson on the chairs was hushed, and the minister difficulty prove that every known edistage an' he interfered and prayed off | bowed his head in prayer. so fluid like, we weakened, an' let the A dozen men made room for her. feller go with nary a bullet in his car- Their faces brightened as she entered, the experimenter cat with his for cass. Here's to ye, Em., for the fair- but she did not look at one of them. est of yer sex. Come on, boys, an' Like one walking in sleep she moved, fill up at my expense."

tumbler down to be refilled.

"Where's the parson?" asked the soul in prayer. landlady, smiling on the deputy as she It was not until the petition was measured the flery fluid with a liberal ended, and the oppressed listeners had dispute them), and with the eye of

Hell's Delight, but he'll be at the without being seen. Gulch to-morroy, an' doan yer forget The minister then chose a hymn and be in that lovely state attributed to it, less he dies afore mornin' kind o' lined it out. sudden from a dose of cold lead. An' I'd advise the boys to grease their boots, and be ready, for he's a buster, the parson is."

"Say, Bill," remarked Emma, stirglass, "is he a young feller?"

light through him. "An' takes sugar in his?"

"You bet!"

and this time she set it up for them a shaking hand. herself.

are listening to a dying man." to preach?" "Look here, Em. You're talkin' through your bonnit. Come here he text, the words of life were hovering larly disagreeable character, plus oc- until the oyster is mature. The oyster to have arisen from the glass of a pair

the room a woman's frenzied cry; "Who says 'no?" "asked the woman, and this time the tiger showed itself

in her eyes.

"I do-we all do!" roared the the table before him. "Oh, Jimmy, you're too late-and tion. - London Chronicle.

"Oh, Jimmy, Jimmy!"

"I heard the voice of Jesus say-"

parson. Give us something we know.

They compromised on "A Land

you're killing yourself, and it's for me, And she folded her scarred hands and I'm not worth it-I'm not worth across her bosom so that all present it!"

could see them. That one motion had She was making her way to him now, a strange effect upon those human and as his eyes lit up his death-pale coyotes, who would have knifed a features he prayed man in the back and made no account "At last," he murmured, "at last,

of it. It is true that even desperadoes and now I'm willing to die! Lord, I have their soft moments. 'This woman , thank Thee." standing before them had one claim f His head fell forward. A dozen stalon their respect, and as their eyes fol- wart men jumped to his side, but when lowed that movement and fell on the he was laid on the nearest bench it was scarred and cicatrized hands, the "Scarred Emma" who held his dying dumb appeal moved them as nothing head on her arm, and it was into her

hat, bearded lips trembled, then, as eyes for a brief coming back to life. there was danger of too much senti- "Don't cry," he said tenderly, "don't ment, there went up a cheer from cry, Molly-at least not for me-but twenty hoarse throats, and as Emma promise mc-quick, I'm going soonturned to set it up again for them, she promise me to quit this place-nowdashed something from her eyes that forever."

"Oh, Jimmy, T can't. You've seen So it happened that when the Rev. them all-tell me, Jimmy, are they-James Forsyth reached Dead Man's well-do they ever speak of me?"

Gulch, he learned that the principal "They are well, dear and safe over saloon was prepared to receive him, there! The dear old mother and the being turned for the time into a meet- little sister. And I promised them I'd ing-house. All through the little town | bring you and now I'm going without and far into the surrounding country | you!

"Don't go, Jimmy. I'll do anything if you'll only live. I'll change my ways, and do just as you bid me, even to turning my back on friends that have been good to me. But oh, Jimmy, I'm not worth dying for-it's too late

"Not to meet the dear mother and little sister! I tell you it is not too late. Oh, I cannot die in peace if you do not promise. You have no right to lose your soul, child-it is not yours to do with as you please, but is bought with a price. Take those off-" looking with wide strange eyes at the gems When the stage reached the Gulch, on her hands.

the parson, who had come on from She obeyed him. In a moment she breezy erowd Devil's Delight, was in it, but he had stripped every ring from her finover in the Em- stopped at the tavern until it was time | gers and then he gathered the two poor ma saloon one to go to meeting. It meant nothing scarred hands in his cold ones, and night less than a to him that he was taking his life in held them to his pale ones.

year ago, and his hands to preach the Gospel to "Saved," he murmured, then every man was these men. What was his poor miser. smiled as if in answer to something he well heeled, car- erable gift of a dying life, compared saw, and a moment later he fell asleep ried his revolver with these lost souls? Besides-then and the woman kneeling by his side handy, and wore he coughed terribly, closed his eyes, reverently closed his eyes, sobbing, but his shirt open at and wiped the cold sweat of mortal ill- not as one without hope.

the neck. As for ness from his face. Ah, specious hu- Less than a year ago, and to-day the the women- man nature! Sophistries that keep it quiet, respectable woman who is post-Dead Man's Gulch, except the scarred

# Modern Hygiene.

her medals of honor for her bravery. she would walk in boldly and take her asked to give up some favorite dish Some of the gang were playing draw- seat with the rest. Well she knew that around which clusters a host of tender poker, others engaged in a game of no woman would be there. No other early memories, and after eating of buy and sell them all. I am to man's ern hygiene says it must go, and if we slave and my word is law, but\_" retain it on our list we do it in an anx-"Scarred Emma" was busy handing And then a whole flood of tears came, lous and guilty mood sure of itself to

aggressive figure, dressed in a smart, ample, the delicious, but as we sup-Everybody rose up, and a shout of black satin, wearing a bow of pink posed deadly, fried bacon cried up as ribbon at the throat. It seemed as if food for babes and sucklings. This is the incongruity of her attire struck puzzling; it goes against our personal her at the last moment, for on the experience, it upsets all our dietary "Naw! Evenin', Em. About two threshold of her room she stopped, plans and pleasures, and it awakens

ble has at some time or other been declared digestible and healthful; let backed up in what is chosen by some and never took her eyes from the thin respectable authority. This being so, He tossed off the dram and set the meager form of the man who stood in the wisest plan is to select food accordthe imprompts pulpit, pouring out his ing to the private palate without regard to Doctor A., B. or C. (since Doctor X., Y. and Z. will infallibly relaxed with a sigh, that she sat down faith fixed on that good day when all "He's stopped over to preach at among the men, where she could see digestion will be carried on by artificial means, and the whole world may George Meredith's gourmet who is pictured in after dinner case as "lan-He was interrupted by Deputy Bill, guidly twinkling stomachie content-"We can't sing that, pard-I mean | ment."-Hartford Courant.

Dangers of Cat-Kissing. ring his whisky by shaking it in the That is Fairer Than Day." The par- The ladies who with perverted affecting bed, which will be double their son heard the sweet treble of a tion kiss their cats and lap-dogs may present size when mature, making "Aw, an' sickly. Yer can see day- woman's voice, and wondered much be interested in learning the results of 140,000 bushels. He left at least 25, whence it came. He looked troubled, Signor Fiocca's examination of the | 000 bushels on the old bed, which will and the cough that shook him with its saliva of these animals. That of the also double, making nearly or quite paroxysm brought out bottles and cat is especially rich in all sorts of | 200,000 bushels to harvest next year, The erowd roared at Emma's wit, glasses, but he put aside all offers with minute bacilli, and contains a new form at an average price of \$1.10 per seldom absent, and so fatal that rab- bushel. If there is a fifty acre farm "Hearken to me, my friends," he bits and guinea-pigs inoculated with it above water that ever yielded \$200,000 "Say, Bill, is he really comin' here began solemnly, "and know that you died in twenty-four hours. The dog's in four years it is not on record. saliva contains an even greater number | But it is not all clear sailing and rare enough to deserve notice. It was He had not time to announce the of bacteria, some of them of a particu- simply waiting after the spawn catches a thatched cottage, and the flame seems may, but preach-ho! ho! I guess upon his lips, when there rung through casional flukes and the eggs of intestinal worms. Nor is the horse free from enemies-storms sufficiently violent to ally thrown on the thatch. The lens these death-dealing organisms. For shift the bottom, star fish, "drilla" seems to have acted as a burning glass "Who spoke, who called me?" asked among the diverse "bacilli, strep- and thieves. Again in first, of and set the straw in a blaze.

# OYSTER FARMING.

CULTIVATING THE BIVALVE IN LONG ISLAND SOUND.

Difficulties That Attend the Harvest ing of a Crop in Twenty-five Feet of Water - The Oyster's Enemies

P to within a very few years all the oysters eaten were of natural growth, and it was in those days that Chesapeake as fertilizers. else would have done. Off went every face he looked when he opened his Bay and tributary waters supplied and controlled the New York market. But when the demand for smaller ovsters began to increase it was found necessary to cultivate them, and the result of this has been the establishment of sixty miles of "oyster farms" along the Long Island Sound shore, the investment of an enormous capital, the building up of an important industry and the transfer of the control of the New York market from Chesapeake Bay to Long Island Sound. Force of circumstances is bringing the Maryland oystermen into the business of cultivation, as the natural growth oysters in Maryland waters are steadily religious enthusiasm, 412 to 430 A. thinning out, and even to-day an oyster D., one Alexdianius, a native of Asia would be an expensive luxury but for Minor, founded a peculiar sect known the timely beginning of oyster farm. as "Nonsleepers." They lived in coming in Long Island Sound about five munities of seventy (the custom hav-

rewarded by a harvest, but then, if all seven each, and, during the winter work and shunned his neighbors. money is in the business.

Long, patient and expensive work is necessary to properly plant an oyster spawning time for oysters is from July intended. - Hardware. 20 to August 20. They may be early or late, according to the degree of clings to the clean shells or stones and the spawning begins no time can be lost in spreading the shells or stones. An hour's delay may cause the loss of weather in July caused the oysters to spawn before the farmers were ready with the shells, which were on the way from Baltimore and were of no use or value when they arrived.

In about six weeks the oyster begins to take form and then looks like a tiny bug. The shell begins to grow, and, in two years the young oysters cover the bottom several inches thick. They and thus when once under way he harvests a crop each year.

An idea of the profit in this method may be obtained from the experience 1891. of a farmer who has already amassed a large fortune in the business. Three years ago he planted 40,000 bushels on a fifty acre bed. This year he has transferred 70,000 bushels to a matur-

the parson with white lips, clinging to tococci, and spirillia," in its saliva course, both are ht is Econom as the table before him.

"Oh Linns and to lets and ton London Chronicle the other than a full other than the other than t Its superior strength accomplishes onderful resulte.

### did immense damage to Long Is'and Sound oyster heds.

The greatest pest-the potato bug of oyster farming-is the star fish, or sea star, as the oystermen call them. The sea star clasps its five arms about the oyster, forces the shell open and

drinks the liquor, which is the oyster's sustenance, then lets it fall back to die. The war against the sea star is constantly waged and is costly. Hundreds of bushels of sea star are captured by dredges, and they are used

The "drill" is another great pest. It is no larger than one's little finger, but it bores straight through the shell and kills the oyster. And then there is the biped pest, the "oyster pirate." There are a great many thousand dollars now invested in new oyster farms in Long Island Sound. A great deal of this capital comes from New York City, and several prominent State officials have more than a passing interest in the crops of 1895 and thereafter. - New York Advertiser.

### The Sept of "Nonsleepers."

During that epoch of extraordinary ing some reference to the seventy apos-There is everything in a name in ties), and whenever a young Nonthe clam and oyster trade. All small sleeper put in its appearance the oldclams are known as Little Necks. est man or woman in the camp would There are probably five million bush- leave to join some other community them, is nothing less than the force of els caten annually, but there are not that had recently lost one of its memmore than five thousand bushels dug bers by death or otherwise. In this from Little Neck Bay, from which the way their communities never exceeded | cial Gazette, name is derived. The same applies to the allottment of seventy, and was Blue Point and Shrewsbury oysters, rarely short a member more than a Large capital is required to success. few weeks or months at a time. They fully engage in oyster farming and were called "Nonsleepers" from the Eastern Connecticut have a queer his- kicking you yet?" Mudge-"No. He great risks are taken, although per- fact that at least seven in each com- tory, so it is related. Micah Rood said he knew he owed me an apology, haps no greater than the truck farmer manity were always to be found wide was a once thrifty farmer in old Nor. but times were so hard that he could takes on land. The capital must be awake and constantly chanting the wich town. His habits suddenly not think of paying it."-Indianlocked up for three years after the "sleep song." In summer these chant- changed, and he became idle, restless, apolis Journal. first planting before the "farmer" is ers were divided into three relays of and intemperate. He neglected his bring up a small fortune from an or- ing to the length of the nights. This witcheraft, others to insanity. When farmers are all getting the fever for fanatics were finally exterminated by on one tree the flowers had turned submarine farming since they have the Armenian barbarians under the from white to red. The neighbors

Louis Republic. How a Trade Name Originated. the buoys marking the boundary lines "ten-penny," etc., as applied to nails, known afterwards as the "drop of shrinks from all sorts of imaginary all refuse removed. It often takes have been made a certain number of the village in the previous fall and had night will be very likely to turn and three months to dredge a bed of 100 pounds to the thousand for many years, stopped over night at Rood's house, run in that darkest hour which is just neres, and the average expense of the and are still reckoned in that way in and the story grew that he had killed erew and dredge is 330 a day. Then England, a ten-penny being 1000 nails him for his money and buried the the bottom is lined with clean, broken to ten pounds, a six-penny 1000 to six body under this tree. Search revealed the notion is thed with clean, orosen to ten pounds, a twenty-penny weighing nothing concerning the peddler, but it, and there are certainly some wellused the average is 300 bushels to the twenty pounds to the thousand; and, the people said the evidence of Rood's known facts which appear to bear out acre. They are purchased at Balti- in ordering, buyers call for the three guilt was summed up in his disturbed the theory. Sick persons, as Chris more, and are bought by schooner pound, six pound or ten pound variety, spirit and the blood-mottled apples. Evans has pointed out and as all who leads at a cost of from six to ten cents etc., until, by the Englishmen's abbre. Micah Rood lost all interest in his have watched by the bedsides of invaa bushel. It is of the utmost import- viation of "pun" for "pound," the farm, became a dependent on the lids know, are apt to be worse in the a nee that this carpet of shells be laid abbreviation has been made to stand town, and died in 1717. But so long latter part of the night, and the be-"in the nick of time." The usual for penny, instead of pound, as orige as the blood-spotted apples grow they lief that death occurs then more fre-

Little lyy in America. summer heat. When spawning they The English ivy cannot be successexpel a white, stringy fluid, which fully grown in this country except under shelter or in hot houses. The in time develops into oysters. When summers are too hot and the winters where the thermometer seldom rises above eighty degrees in the summer have been experienced in a number of suits it, and in no quarter of the world does the plant attain such luxuriance. raise it in America, but outside a few limited spots in Virginia and the Carolinas, where exceptional climatic conditions prevail, all have failed .- New York Journal.

Cure for Lightning Strokes. which requires two years more. The appearance dead, could be recalled to war time all unnecessary cruelty is successful farmer uses three beds, one life by applying the method of artifi- avoided, and women and children who for planting and two for maturing, cial respiration in use for resuscitating have been made prisoners are set free

Travelers in arctic regions say the physical effects of cold there are about pleasantly warm; ten degrees below, bracing: twenty degrees below, sharp, below, very cold; forty degrees below, intensely cold; fifty degrees below, a

# Singular Cause of a Fire.

A correspondent writes of an example of setting fire to a house that is

Tom's Brook, Va.

Chevrenl's well-known experiment: with the exploratory pendulum and the divining-rod show that if we represent to ourselves a motion in any direction the hand will unconsciously realize it and communicate it to the failures. - Puck.

When a child I was navigating a plank on the river without a thought | Buffalo Courier. that I might fall. All at once the idea came like a diverging force, projecting itself across the rectilinear thought, which had alone previously directed my action. It was as if an invisible arm seized me and drew me down. I cried out and continued staggering over the whirling waters till help came t\_me. The mere thought of vertigo

The board lying on the ground suggests no thought of a fall when you walk over it, but when it is over a pre. Ledger. cipice and the eyes takes the measure spondingly so. Even if you are safe | it I set Towser on her."--Life. there may still be what is called the attraction of the abyss. The vision of ideas or forces nothing is left but the simple a precaution. -Tit-Bits. figure of the great hole, with the intoxication of the rapid movement that begins in your brain and tends to turn the scales of the mental balance. Temptation, which is continual in children because everything is new to an idea and the motive impulse that accompanies it .- Cincinnati Commer-

### The Blood-Spotted "Mike" Apples.

The so-called "Mike" apples of fascination. When the yellow apples ripened in the fall, each one was found The origin of the terms "six-penny," to contain a red globule which was foreign peddler had passed through will be known as the "Mike" apples, quently than at any other time is cerand will perpetuate the story of his tainly general, whether it be supported life. - Boston Transcript.

# An Interesting African People.

people in the German district on Lake | seems to be about the lowest time of the north by the Livingstone Moun. got out of bed at that time, either from tains and on the south by the lake, choice or necessity, knows very well and this favorable geographical po- the feeling of goneness which comes velop in a peculiar manner and attain arises as to whether life is really worth a relatively high state of civilization. living. Is it that the system has really Friendship is especially valued among feeling of depression and demoralizathem, and love between the sexes tion is merely subjective, caused by strong and firm, as well as the domes- the surroundings, and the unfamiliar tic affections. Suicide, caused by look which well-known objects assume. grief for the loss of a wife, a child, or -San Francisco Chronicle, even a favorite animal, is not infre-Two doctors have independently ar- quent. The favorite form of suicide rived at the conclusion that most per- is to enter the water and allow one's the drowned. The method proved again. The position of woman among successful in the case of a trumpeter | the Kondehs is usually high. Women who was apparently killed at Berliu in are on a perfect equality with men in the eyes of the law, and offences against women are even more severely punished than offences against men." -St. James's Gazette.

Throughout Cochin Chins, in Tonquin and the extreme east there is a but not severely cold; thirty degrees very venomous snake called the "najas," whose venom causes death in two or three hours. Every year this snake struggle for life. - Detroit Free Press. | has been the cause of death to 15,000 persons. It was evidently a matter of vast importance to discover an antidote, and this has at last been done by a pupil of Pasteur. The substance is a sort of salt of gold, which not only acts medicinally after the bite, but as a sort of vaccine taken internally it renders the person proof against the consequences of the najas bite. - Chi-

> rebudt of their fatherst prices produce, and . . . . want fair

It is the comic opera singer who is most apt to "steal a march" on us. There are more ways than one to kill a cat; but most of them are In the game of life it's the non-pay-

ing tenant who gets the most moves. -The man who looks out for a rainy day generally makes many a sunny one

for his heirs. - Puck. "My hair," murmured Van Arndt,

sadly, as he strove carefully to conceal the bald spot on his head, "reminds me of a fool and his money."-Puck. Among the new members of the German Reichstag is a master chim-

ney sweep. In some respect it is a sootable occupation. -- Philadelphia "Has my boy been a little defender of the distance to the bottom the repre- and kind to dumb animals to-day?"

sentation of a falling motion becomes "Yes, grandma, I let your canary out intense and the impulse to fall corre- of the cage, and when my cat caught A Brazilian recently saved his life

by carrying a roll of £100 notes inside the gulf as a fixed idea having pro- his vest when a bullet came that way. duced an "inhibition" on all your Yet there are people who neglect so

Tommy-"My father's in the butcher business. What business is your'n in?" Sammy-"My father don't have to foller any business. He's a Alderman."-Chicago Tribune.

Fiddleback-"Do you suppose Miss Pinkerly noticed that my cuffs were soiled?" Tutter-"I don't believe so, unless it is out of the ordinary."-Truth.

Yabsley-"Did Bings apologize for

### When Men Are Afraid.

Chris Evans, the Fresno outlaw, who ought to be an authority on the subject, dinary sized bed. The Long Island peculiar sect of non-sleeping singing the apple trees blossomed in the spring declares that men are most subject to the emotion of fear between one o'clock in the morning and daybreak. had opportunity to see how much leadership of Omeer Dightee. -St. wondered much, and especially as Rood As he puts it, there comes a period in was drawn to this tree by a resistless every night when it begins to grow toward morning, but when daylight is yet a long way off, during which perriod every man is a coward. He not commonly known, is in- blood." The people remembered that evils, and the same man who would fought desperately before mid-

natural and physiological reason for by statistics or not. But we need not go to any mortua-

ry statistics for evidence on the ques-At the Berlin Anthropological So- tion of universal demoralization and curious particulars about the Kondeh three o'clock in the morning, which Nyassa. Their country is bordered on the ebb tide. Any one who has ever sition has enabled the people to de- over one and the serious doubt which "Their affections are largely developed. | run down during the night or that the

# Hen and Kittens.

It may interest your readers who care about this sort of subject to hear of the singular incident at our farm two years ago of a hen taking charge must have taken them herself an hour or two after their birth and placed them under the hen, which had made a nest for herself two or three yards off under the manger in a cowshed. I saw the cat and her progeny lying on the straw directly after their birth. and noticed the hen on her nest. Returning an hour or two later the cowman showed me the kittens under the hen, wondering how they had got there, as nobody else had been in the shed and he had not touched them.

Till the kittens grew too big the hen never left them; the cat used to go away foraging and come down every now and then, throw herself down alongside the hen and nurse her young ones, sometimes lying with her head under and her paws almost round the hen's neck. As the kittens got older t was droll to see their foster mother Joseph Mid new farm old. This following them about and trying I will droot III. king out all stumps on your farms. Will also dig and clean your cover them with her wings wells and cisterns. Call on or address cover them with her wings.
six weeks it was quite the

neighborhood. AN AND SURGEON, Mrs. George M. Pullman's prott. TOM'S BROOK, VA. Special attention to diseases of we

## THE NEWS EPITOMIZED.

Eastern and Middle States. THERE is great excitement around New Canaan, Count, over the discovery of gold in paying quantities on the farm of Seth C. Weed.

A NUMBER of prominent citizens of New York City met Mayor Gilroy in his office by request, and after a full discussion of the matter, it was decided to have a Manhattan day at the Chicago Fair. October 21 was the day agreed on.

J. W. Washburn, of Roston, Mass., Treasurer of the Old Colony Railroad, has defaulted in the sum of \$96,000.

John D. Rockeffeller, the Standard Oil magnate, has bought land on the Hudson near Tarrytown, N. • Y., aggregating about seven hundred acres. Mr. Rockofeller will lay out the grounds in a public park and will erect there a mansion costing a

THE Massachusetts Democratic Convention at Boston nominated John F. Russell for Governor and James B. Carroll for Lieuten.

GEORGE WALKER, aged forty-two, died at

IT was "Politicians' Day" at the Trenton (N. J.) Pair: 50,000 persons were present. Chaverly, a tight-rope performer, fell ninety feet to the ground, and w.s mortally hurt. JOHN JACOB ASTON'S yarht Nourmahal struck a reef in the Hudson Elver, New York, and was beached to prevent her sinking. SAMURL M. JARVIS and Rolland R. Conklin

were appointed receivers of the Jarvis-Conk lin Mortrage Trust Company by Judge La-combe, in the United States Circuit Cour. New York City. Its liabilities are \$8,000,000. South and West. A FIRE in the business part of St. Joseph, Mo., did damage estimated at \$1,000,000.

TREET thousand Odd Fellows colebrated their order's day at the World's Fair. THERE were two new cases of yellow fever and one death from the disease at Brunswick. Tag twelve-year-old son of Farmer Phillip Bolts, of Oakland, Ill., after being chastled by his father hanged himself.

Two persons were killed and five in a in a collision on the Chicago and trunk Railroad in Bellevue, Mich. soiled?" Tutter—"I don't believe so, old man. She never notices anything ton in Teanessee by burning gins.

SANDY DONARUE, the famous fighting Sheriff of Coconino County, Arizona, shot Il. G. Harris and Bob Dunlup, otherwise known as Jim Baker and Aniy Dinond, noted horse thieves, after a hard battle. The latter had killed seven men.

There persons were killed and seven wounded in a railway wreck at Gulfport,

Washington.

STATISTICS compiled from official data show that from January to September, this year, 500 State and private banks in the United States failed and that seventy-two have re-sumed business. In the same time 155 National banks failed, seventy of which have resumed.

The President has nominated Charles N. Caughey, of Maryland, to be United States Censul at Messina, Italy.

Vice-Persident Strumson left Washing-ton for Allentowa, Pann., to spend the week, along with other persons, as the guest of ex-clovernor Black.

CONSUL-GENERAL EDWARDS, of Berlin, reports to the State Department that the German Minister of War has ordered the military authorities to use Indian corn mixed with oats in making up the rations of the army horses. This will lead to heavy importations of American corn.

thought to be insane. THE President has nominated Robert E. Preston of the District Director of the Mint. THE Kearsurge has been despatched by the

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John Maguire, at Tampieo; Thomas Re at St. John's, Quebec; J. Courtney Hix

e lower regions of the White House, as in search of President Cleveland,

SECRETARY HERBERT has issued a general order complimenting those in the naval s-vice and civilians stationed at the Port Roy Naval Station, South Carolina, for their d-votion to duty during the late hurricane.

SIXTY lives were lost by the burning of the Russian steamer, Alphonse Zeevecke. A FORMIDABLE Anarchist plot was dis-overed by the Austrian police, and many

The insurgents in the Argentine Republic captured the city of Rosario and forced the National troops to retreat. ADMIRAL MELLO's fleet renewed the bom

Ous damage.

The people of St. Pauli, a suburb of Hamburg, Germany, attacked a sanitary corps and killed a policeman; there were five new cases of cholera, with one death, at Hamburg; a death was reported in England; cholera is ravaging the Eastern shore of the Persian Gulf.

Reports of damage done by the floods at Gifu, Japan, state that 632 houses were swept away, 14,025 houses were flooded, 235 people were killed and 30,203 rendered home-less.

made in London; 20,000 women and children are on the verge of starvation as a result of the miners' strike.

Mn. Glassone made a speech at Elin-burgh, attacking the British House of Lords for rejecting the Kome Rule bill.

The officers and crows of two torpedo boats which attacked the Argentine Government naval squadron of the corst and which were captured were insited to revolt by Colonel Espina. Colonel Espina was taken into custody, and the probabilities are that he will be shot as a traifor.

The mail steamship Carlo R., from Genoa, Italy, for Santos, Brazil, returned to the former port with cholera on board; 114 persons diel of the disease on the voyage.

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# crowd in a rude chorus.